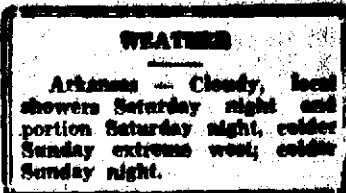


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Pen Chairman Quits in Row Over Warden

Governor Futrell Upholds Superintendent Stedman, and Chairman Trulock Steps Out

LITTLE ROCK—(AP)—W. N. Trulock, Pine Bluff, chairman of the State Penal Board, submitted his resignation and Governor Futrell accepted it Saturday afternoon shortly after the governor announced that A. G. Stedman would be retained as prison superintendent.

Robt. W. Chambers and Louis J. Vance, Authors, Are Dead

Chambers Succumbs After Intestinal Operation in New York

VANCE IS BURNED Falls Asleep With Lighted Cigarette in His Apartment

NEW YORK—(AP)—Robert W. Chambers, 68, noted author and artist, died early Saturday following an intestinal operation several days ago. Chambers was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1865, studied art in Paris, exhibiting in the Salon before returning to New York where he engaged in book illustrating before taking up the writing of fiction that was to make him famous in the popular field. "Maid of Paradise," 1903, was one of his earliest works, and "The Happy Parrot," 1923, one of the latest novels to come from his prolific pen.

Another Novelist Dead
NEW YORK—(AP)—Louis Joseph Vance, 54, writer of a score of popular novels and numerous short stories, died Saturday at his apartment, apparently the result of falling asleep with a lighted cigarette in his hand. Born in Washington, D. C., in 1879, Vance began his literary career contributing short stories and verse to magazines about 1900. His more popular novels include "The Brass Bowl" (1907), and "They Call It Love" (1927).

Saline "Bad Boy" Is Given 50 Years

Leo Goins Still Faces Trial in Federal Court

TEXARKANA—Friday was a busy day for Leo Goins, 26, the country boy from Saline county who turned bad man in a big way. Friday afternoon the escaped convict from the Tucker state penitentiary perpetrated a series of five hold-ups in which he successfully took forcible possession of a taxicab, a truck and three automobiles, kidnapping eight persons during the series. He finally was captured 10 miles north of the city.

Here are his activities Friday: Waived grand jury indictment. Before Circuit Judge Dexter Bush pleaded guilty to three charges of kidnapping and two of robbery and was sentenced to a total of 50 years in the state penitentiary. He already has seven years of his original 12-year sentence to serve although he was a truck farm overseer when he was taken away from the Tucker farm. Asked that he be turned over to federal authorities to face charges of postoffice robbery. Request granted. Pleading guilty before United States Commissioner S. A. Phillips and was held under \$10,000 bond for his appearance in federal court at Little Rock in February. In default of bond, he was committed to the custody of Deputy United States Marshal Clarence Buhler. Goins seemed to fear that he would not be exactly welcomed home should he return to the Tucker farm. He told Sheriff R. W. Turquette that he felt certain that he would be killed by the penitentiary farm officials.

Football Game Is Again Postponed

All Stars and High School to Play Benefit Wednesday Night

The All Star-Hope High School benefit football game has been postponed again, this time until Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock. The game was originally scheduled for Friday night, but was rained out and set for Sunday afternoon. Interference with Christmas church programs and protests of playing Sunday football caused officials to reset the date on Wednesday night. Head Coach Teddy Jones and Assistant Jimmy Jones will play for the high school team.

CWA HITS ITS GOAL

Abandon Special Refunding Session

Holders District Bonds Unable to Reach Agreement

Conference Continued by Subcommittee Despite Serious Setback

ROW OVER GAS TAX Old District Creditors Claim They Should Get Part of Increase

LITTLE ROCK—(AP)—Plans for a special legislative session before the first of the year to enact a new bond refunding program were definitely abandoned by Governor Futrell's refunding subcommittee Saturday.

Compromise Failing
LITTLE ROCK—Prospects of an immediate special session of the legislature to enact legislation to refund the state's \$155,000,000 highway debt appeared to be on the wane Friday night when Governor Futrell's subcommittee announced that, because of the many conflicting interests, it has been unable to obtain an agreement from representatives of holders of road improvement district bonds which it could recommend to the full committee at the governor.

The subcommittee held a series of conferences with a group of St. Louis bankers and bond dealers Friday, but the conference broke up shortly before 11 Friday night without an agreement having been reached. Some of the members of the St. Louis group and representatives of direct bondholders who came here last week from New York to attend conferences, returned home, it was said. Two or three members of the St. Louis group remained here and it was indicated that negotiations may be continued Saturday.

Object to Modifications
The road improvement district group, which was understood to have agreed tentatively to the subcommittee's original recommendations, was said to have modified its concessions when it was learned that some members of the legislative Refunding Committee had proposed that the gasoline tax be raised to seven cents, that no part of the one-cent turnback to counties be taken for debt service, and that city paving continuation districts be allotted 100 per cent aid. Representatives of the St. Louis group returned to Little Rock Friday to confer with the subcommittee regarding changes in the refunding plan. They were said to have proposed that the road district bonds be extended 10 years on the same basis as direct highway obligations instead of being refunded for 25 years, that a sinking fund of \$500,000 a year be provided to buy bonds at market prices, and that holders of road district bonds could take them out of escrow when the state defaults in interest payments 90 days.

Members of the subcommittee were (Continued on Page Three)

In Drug Bill Fight



Fight over the new food, drug and cosmetics act, raging in Senate subcommittee hearings, was climaxed by a demand for resignation of Senator Royal S. Copeland, New York, shown at right, as he and W. G. Campbell, food and drug administrator of the Agriculture Department, examine exhibits of condemned products. Chairman Copeland, witnesses charged, is biased and can not give the bill a fair hearing.

Hope Stores Will Be Open at Night

Open Until 9 P. M. Thursday and Friday, 10 P. M. Saturday

Hope merchants are planning to extend store hours until 9 o'clock Thursday and Friday night, and 10 o'clock Saturday before Christmas. Reports to The Star Saturday indicated there would be a general agreement on special holiday hours, extending the regular store hours under which merchants operate by mutual consent. Normal closing time is 6 p. m., to be extended until 9 p. m. next Thursday and Friday; and the normal closing hour for Saturday is 9 p. m., to be extended until 10 p. m. next Saturday—the last Christmas shopping day.

17 Rescued From Boats After Fire

Schooner Ellen Marshall Burns, Two Dead, Seven Missing

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia.—(AP)—Seventeen seamen of the American fishing schooner Ellen Marshall were rescued from lifeboats Saturday. Two are known to be drowned, and seven are missing, after the schooner burned near Seal Island Friday night.

Murder Baffles California Police

Screams—Confession, Is Arrested—And Then Denies It

PASADENA, Calif.—(AP)—A woman identified as Yvonne Howard, 34, of Inglewood, screaming she had committed a murder, was arrested Saturday. She confessed, police said, to the killing of Dr. Leonard Siever, socialist and patron of the arts, here last Tuesday night. The woman said Siever had double-crossed her, but police were unable to learn the details. She later reiterated her confession, leaving officers as baffled as ever in the murder mystery.

O'Ryan Is Named N. Y. Commissioner

La Guardia Gives Police Post to Leader of 27th Division A. E. F.

NEW YORK—(AP)—Mayor-Elect La Guardia announced Saturday the appointment of Major General John F. O'Ryan, war-time leader of the famous 27th division, as police commissioner—a post on which the administration can stand or fall.

Lindberghs Close 28,000-Mile Trip, Landing at Miami

Colonel and His Wife Return to American Territory Safely

CROWD SEES THEM

Waterfront Thronged for Last Jump From Santo Domingo

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh alighted here shortly after 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon from their big red monoplane to complete the last link in an aerial Odyssey that began more than five months ago. They flew from San Pedro, Dominican Republic, Saturday morning. The famous couple, barring interviews and requesting no public reception, were whisked away to an unannounced destination. Thousands crowded the waterfront to see them come in. The Lindberghs have flown 28,000 miles since leaving New York July 9 on a special air survey.

Child Has Narrow Escape in Traffic

Verna Lee Long, 10, Knocked Down—Not Seriously Hurt

Verna Lee Long, aged 10, was slightly injured when struck by an automobile driven by J. K. Sale during a Santa Claus visit here Friday afternoon. The accident occurred in front of Ward & Son drugstore on Second street. In an effort to reach Santa she dashed from the curb into the path of the Sale automobile. She was carried to Josephine hospital, and released after physicians dressed a wound over the left eye. The injury is not serious.

Coalition Rule Is Spain's Next Step

Lerroux Accepts Job of Forming Capital-Labor Cabinet

MADRID, Spain.—(AP)—The cabinet of Premier Diego Martinez Barrios resigned Saturday and it was expected that former Premier Alejandro Lerroux would be asked to form a new cabinet. Barrios advised the formation of a new cabinet to bring capital and labor to a better understanding, and recommended Lerroux. Lerroux later was named by President Zamora to form the new government.

Weds Client



"Reward" for his vigorous battle against kidnappers of Mrs. Nell Donnelly, above, came to ex-Senator James A. Reed of Missouri, below, when Mrs. Donnelly became his bride in Kansas City, where she is a millionaire garment manufacturer. Reed played a prominent part in conviction of the abductors in 1931. He is 72 and Mrs. Reed 43. Reed's first wife died in 1932 and his bride was divorced the same year.

Santa in Person Thrills Kiddies

Hundreds Greet Him on Second Appearance Here Saturday

"O-o-o-h, Mama, it's really Santa Claus!" one young hopeful of possibly 6 shouted Saturday morning in one of his greatest bursts of enthusiasm thus far in life. Hundreds of other children were tickled pink at the sight of the famous and jolly old gentlemen on his two visits to Hope, the first on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the second at 10 Saturday morning. Santa visited several of Hope's stores Saturday morning, shook hands, and tickled the cheek of countless numbers of kiddies. Many elders seemed to get as much kick out of Santa's visit as the kiddies. Large quantities of candies were thrown to the children just before Santa left for other advance visits. His trips here was to assure children of southwest Arkansas that he would not forget them on Christmas Eve. Hundreds of children turned out Saturday morning for the visit. There were people from all sections of southwest Arkansas, even though several hours of rain kept the crowd smaller than it would have been.

France to Demand Hitler Showdown

She and Her Minor League Allies Hold a Conference

PARIS, France.—(AP)—A united front of France and of the allies against rearmament in Germany and tinkering with the Versailles treaty was agreed upon Friday in conversations between Foreign Minister Paul-Boncour and Dr. Eduard Benes, the Czechoslovakian foreign secretary. They determined also to put before Chancellor Hitler of Germany a definite disarmament convention through the Geneva arms conference and thereby to make him assume the responsibility should he refuse to sign. Poland and the Little Entente nations, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Rumania, are the allies. In the conversations regarding their relations with Germany it was decided it would be impossible to consider German rearmament during direct diplomatic exchanges in Berlin.

Stanford Reviews Marvelous Speed in Hiring of Men

Some Injustices Due to Need for Action—Will Be Remedied

HEMPSTEAD FIRST

This County Got Projects Early, Engineer Tells Kiwanis

Projects in Hempstead county totalling about \$115,000 have been approved and funds allocated by the office of C. W. Dyess, state administrator of CWA, R. B. Stanford told the Kiwanis club Friday night. Stanford is engineering supervisor of CWA work in Hempstead county. His talk was a feature of the weekly club luncheon. Several other projects have not yet been approved, but are expected daily. How Hempstead came to be among the first Arkansas counties to get men to working on CWA projects, and among the first to get the full quota on payrolls, was revealed in Stanford's talk, along with some of the problems the local CWA office has had to solve. "It is only human to wish to respond to the appeal of nearly 5,000 men in Hempstead county who want to work," Stanford said. "If there are many who feel they have been discriminated against it was only the 'drop' of the cards, in the rush to get the entire quota on the rolls."

Had to Start at Once
Stanford told how local CWA officials were appointed by Dyess' office and were asked to get large numbers of men on jobs the following morning. He immediately assembled men of his former road-building crew here, when he was district engineer for the State Highway Department, who were out of jobs and placed them in charge of approved road-building projects. The cost of building the roads by hand may be expensive; but it brings permanent jobs for a large number of men until February 15, and possibly longer, he said. Some of his assistants who were once drawing \$150 to \$200 a month are now doing the same work for \$15 or \$18 a week, he said. "If we find men who shouldn't be on work projects, we take them off," he said, "and take care of those in greater need of work."

Close advisers of President Roosevelt had told him red tape was holding up expenditures of Public Works Administration projects, Stanford told the club. They suggested the CWA in its present form, giving state supervisors the authority to spend money and approve work projects. And already the national quota of 4 million men on jobs has been accomplished. Stanford told of being with an engineer from the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, who approved the project of paving the Texarkana-Garland City road last May. On account of government red tape, contract for this project was only let last week, nearly seven months after the engineer's approval.

Efficiency Sacrificed
"Of course efficiency is being sacrificed," he said. "We were forced to make decisions fast, and hope we made the right ones. But the idea of providing an opportunity to work for those in need of it is certainly highly commendable. And Hempstead county will have some mighty fine gravel roads and bridges; and her schools will be placed in splendid condition, along with several other improvements."

"Of course if men we place can't be the job, they are fired, and may not be placed on other projects," Stanford said. "But it is wonderful to see these men are doing. They were anxious to get the jobs."

W. S. Atkins, club member, asked whether it was the plan to rotate CWA jobs, to give all needy cases on re-employment lists a part of the work allotted. Stanford explained that the purpose of the CWA was to provide permanent jobs; and to thus restore the spirits of men who had been out of work, and had had no way of making a fair living. However, he explained that when one crew had to shut down for materials, or rain, or other causes, that the same number of men were put to work on other projects that day, so the same number of men would draw pay for that day. This has a tendency to spread employment, he said. He pointed out that other government agencies were responsible for other needs; that the object of CWA work in this county is to provide permanent jobs for the full quota of men assigned this county.

Liquor Tax Will Be \$2.10 to \$2.40 Gallon

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A liquor tax of between \$2.10 and \$2.40 a gallon was predicted Saturday by Chairman Doughton of the house ways and means committee.

The Private Life of the Wynekoop Family

—BY DR. CATHERINE WYNEKOOP—
special suite for them the two rooms on the second floor which she and dad always had—the two best rooms in the house. Vividly do I recall the scene that took place in our Monroe street house the evening before Earle and Rheta were expected home after their honeymoon at Frankfurt. Mother had put her heart as well as her purse into refurnishing the two special rooms for the newlyweds. And the results were lovely. Especially did Mary and I approve of the bedroom, with its twin beds, inlaid mahogany bureau for Earle, and its dressing table for Rheta. "Remember, girls," mother warned Mary and me, as we admired the handsome furnishings, "these are Earle's and Rheta's rooms, where they can come when they want to be alone. We never must bother them here."

Mary and Rheta Pals
Although she also told us that it would be wisdom never to visit these rooms without an invitation, they didn't become any Chinese wall, separating Earle and his bride from the rest of the family. On the contrary, they were all over the house with the rest of us.

Mary and Rheta became great pals. Both adored pretty clothes and parties. And when Mary entertained her friends at home, Rheta and Earle al-

On the morning of August 31, 1929, four carloads of family and friends started for the quiet quiet town of Sycamore, near Chicago. For in the chapel of St. Alban's school there, which both my brothers had attended, Rheta Gardner was to become Mrs. Earle Wynekoop. When we reached the school, I helped her change into the filmy white dress which she had brought from Indianapolis for the occasion, then arranged the folds of the white tulle bridal veil which we had bought in Chicago that morning. Clad in bright orange silk, I walked ahead of her down the narrow aisle of the school chapel to the altar rail, where the Rev. Charles L. Street, headmaster, waited with Earle. Ahead of me walked Walker's little boy, Walker, Jr., carrying the ring. Letters Cheer Mother
Back in Chicago later that day, we the newweds, Rheta's parents, and our family gathered at the Midwest Athletic club for a bridal dinner, with the traditional bride's cake of many layers and toasts to the bride and bridegroom. Next day, Earle and Rheta started for our country place in Michigan for their honeymoon. During the two and one-half months that followed, we did not see the honeymooners. But seldom a day passed that a letter or postcard with a Frankfurt postmark did no arrive at the "gloomy old mansion," telling how happy they were. These letters and cards, curiously enough, seemed to give mother the first cheer she had had since dad's death. She missed him terribly, and Earle and Rheta's happiness seemed to give back part of what death had taken from her. Their gay letters, she told Mary and me, carried her back to her honeymoon days. We all enjoyed the good cheer these missives brought, even our roomer, Miss Enid Hennessey, a great friend of mother's, who had been a member of our household, almost a member of the family, for about 10 years. She was a teacher in John Marshall high school.

Special Suite Furnished
Early in November, Earle wrote that he and Rheta soon would be seeing us. So mother decided that, as a welcome home surprise, she would fit up as a

THE STORY OF Christmas



And Herod said to the Wise Men when ye have found the child this is born in Bethlehem, bring word to me again, that I, too, may go to that place and worship him. But his words were spoken in guile and deceit.

SHOPPING DAYS WITH CHRISTMAS.

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As the dead year is clasped by a dead December, So let your dead sins with your dead days lie. A new life is yours, and a new hope. Remember, We build our ladders to climb to the sky. Stand out in the sunlight of Promise forgetting Whatever the past held of sorrow or wrong. We waste half our strength in a useless regretting. We sit by old tombs in the dark too long.—Selected.

The Friday Music Club, Mrs. C. C. McNeill, president, and Mrs. J. C. Carl, ton as director of the Choral club will present their annual contribution to the Christmas celebration in this city with excerpts from Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah" at 2 o'clock, Sunday afternoon at First Baptist church. The public is cordially invited.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Many a gold digger strikes a rich pocket.

The Sunday school and choir of the First Methodist church will hold their annual White Christmas service at the church, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. M. M. McCloughan was hostess on Friday afternoon to the members of the Friday Contract bridge club and a few special guests at her home on East Second street. The rooms were bright and cheery with a quantity of lovely fall roses and attractively arranged for four tables. Favors went to Mrs. R. V. Herndon for the club and to Mrs. Charles Horrell for the guests. Following the game, a delicious salad course was served.

The members of the American Legion Auxiliary are urged to send their donations for Christmas boxes to Mrs. Arthur Swanke on East Third street, not later than Tuesday.

Mrs. Caswell McRae of Fayetteville will arrive Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. N. W. Denty and Mr. Denty.

Jimmie Harbin, a senior in Hendrix College, Conway, will arrive Saturday night to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harbin and grandmother, Mrs. Florence Turner.

B. M. Cannon announces the marriage of his daughter, Winton, to Bertram Buchfield of Houston, Texas, the ceremony having taken place on Friday evening, December 15, at the home of Mrs. Earl Thornton in Texarkana, with the Rev. Wallace R. Rogers of this city officiating. The bride attended Hendrix College and is an accomplished violinist, and has spent the past two years in Houston, Texas. The bridegroom attended Rice Institute and is a graduate of Northwestern University and is associated with his father in the real estate business in Houston, Texas. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Buchfield left for their wedding trip to Hot Springs. Relatives and friends from this city attending the wedding were Miss Charlie L'Hiersen, Mrs. Wallace R. Rogers, Miss Mary Louise Keith, Hinton Davis and Miss Claudia Coop.

Misses Mary Sue Anderson and Marilyn Ward, students in Hendrix College, Conway will arrive Saturday night to spend the Christmas holidays

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THE PRIVATE LIFE
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interests of her own, she suddenly developed a tremendous interest in my career.

Despite her cheery encouragement, I lost my nerve, but finally I took the exam. And three months later, when the results were posted, I couldn't believe my eyes when I found my name listed in the first group of 35.

That July I began my coveted internship at Cook county hospital.

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Dress Too Tight to Sit Down? *Here's 'Tip' From Hollywood*



It's just the old ironing board, all dressed up, but they don't use it in such a piebald way in Hollywood. Ann Southern uses it for a leaning board, demonstrating how the stars get their rest when they start winking out from weariness and can't sit down—because they might pour out of their tight gowns. And even the old ironing board looks glorified when Ann demonstrates it.

The family spent that summer, as usual, at Frankfort, mother and Mary going up on the boat, while Earle and Rheta flew there.

Mary Gets Dread Malady
When time to close our summer house arrived, a girl from Detroit, whose parents also had a place on Crystal Lake, invited Mary to stay over and visit her. Mary accepted.

But hardly had she unpacked her trunk than her hostess became ill, and both girls started home.

The day after Mary reached Chicago, word came from Detroit that her friend had died of infantile paralysis. And the day after that Mary, herself, went to bed with the same dread disease.

Mother, busier than ever by this time, gave up everything to take care of Mary. Whether it was her expert care, or my sister's own great desire to recover, I don't know, but a couple of months later, Mary was able to come downstairs. She still was very frail, and, of course, she still was troubled by her bad heart.

Earle Takes Up Aviation
It was the fall that Mary was ill that Earle learned to fly. His idea was to learn the aviation business from the ground up, for he was eager to get into the research department of one of the large airplane companies.

Throughout his boyhood, he had shown a decided knack for things mechanical. He could do anything to the dynamo and engines and things like that.

Had he not been a physician's son, I imagine that, when college came, he would have gone to an engineering school instead of to a medical college.

Early in 1932, he received his pilot's license.

Rheta shared Earle's love of the air, so she seldom went without her to the aviation field where he was learning to fly. For that matter, he seldom went anywhere without her. They always were together.

In 1932 I left for the St. Louis maternity hospital to do some special work.

Death Claims Mary
There I was when, early in March, word came that Mary was dead. She had succumbed at last, game fighter that she was, to her peer weak heart.

When she died, the light went out of the big house on Monroe street. Everything seemed different now. Everybody was more sober. And when, a few months later, I was offered a residency in the children's surgery ward of the hospital where I had served my internship, I eagerly accepted.

Earle Goes on Sky Ride
Meanwhile, the Century of Progress had gotten under way, and Earle, along with some other aviators, had found employment on the sky ride. Exactly what he was supposed to do, I never knew. One day he took tickets the next day he repaired the rocket cars.

Despite what I have read in the newspapers these last few weeks, I wasn't aware of any change between him and Rheta. As far as I knew, he was going home every night.

And I know she always was dashing down to the exposition grounds to keep dates with him.

The only change I noted was in her. Following Mary's death, she became what I can describe only as health conscious.

Then the Century of Progress neared its end, and from mother I learned that Earle and Stanley Young, a boy Earle knew at Northwestern university, were going west. Their plan, mother said, was to take colored pictures of the Grand Canyon.

"Rheta Is Dead"
The day that the Fair closed, they started, driving Earle's car—the same car in which he'd brought Rheta to Chicago three and one-half years before. That was the last thing I heard. Then, the evening of November 21, a call came for me in the ward where I was working. Mother was at the other end.

"Catherine," she said, "can you come home right away?"

"Penthouse" at Saenger Sunday



CHENRY GORDON and MAE CLARKE in ARTHUR SOMERS ROCHES' "PENTHOUSE"

Warner Baxter and Myrna Loy are the featured players in Arthur Somers Roche's "Penthouse," which opens Sunday at the Saenger theater.

As a scion of an aristocratic New York family, and a society lawyer who "chooses to defend notorious racketeers," Warner Baxter is said to give one of the finest performances of his long motion picture career.

As Gertrude Waxed, a beautiful night club girl, Myrna Loy is reported by preview critics to have far surpassed any of her triumphs in previous picture productions.

With exotic roles now a part of her brilliant past, in "Penthouse" she has taken command of one of the strongest and most lovable characterizations of her career and her romantic scenes with Warner Baxter will long be remembered.

statements in her fatigued condition that would be misconstrued.

In an interval between her grilling, mother was allowed to take a sponge bath—in the presence of a male police officer! She was subjected to hours of hounding and misrepresentation.

Topmost in her mind through all this torture was the idea that she must get home to prepare Rheta's clothes for the funeral.

"Sacrifice to Stupidity"
It was after a promise that if she just would make a statement, she would be permitted to go, that mother made her so-called "confession," all of which admittedly was suggested to her.

Even after the inquest of Friday, November 24, poor mother, in her fatigued state, thought she was free to go to Rheta—in her last hour in Chicago.

Instead, she was held for the murder of the one she loved dearly.

My precious mother now is behind bars—the innocent victim of circumstances and misrepresentation.

The most noble of women is being crucified upon the altar of police stupidity.

NEWS CHURCHES CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Rev. Glen E. Green of Little Rock, will preach at the Church of Christ here Sunday morning, and night. He has occupied the pulpit in the Fourth and State street Church of Christ in Little Rock for the past seven years. Membership has grown from 200 to near 600 during his leadership there. The public is invited to hear him Sunday.

MELROSE CHURCH

The Melrose church on the Hope-Spring Hill road conducts Sunday school classes each Sunday. Every third Sunday the Rev. Mr. Stingley of Washington delivers sermons. The public is invited.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Services at the First Baptist church Sunday will be held as usual. The Rev. Wallace R. Rogers will deliver the sermon at both the morning and evening worship services.

Sunday School for all departments will begin promptly at 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.

The Friday Music Club, assisted by the men of the various church choirs, will present excerpts from Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah" at the church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The public is invited to attend.

Blevins

Mrs. L. Presley of Delight is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tate while her husband is ill in Cora Donnell hospital in Prescott.

Mrs. C. A. S. Bonds, Mrs. E. N. Bonds, Mrs. H. H. Honea, Mrs. A. H. Wade were shopping in Hope Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nolen spent Thursday and Friday in Texarkana.

Mrs. B. H. Nolen left Thursday for Tucson, Ariz., where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. McKinnon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bonds spent last week in Texarkana visiting relatives.

The quilling at Mrs. Wess Hendrix's Thursday was well attended. Two quilts were quilted for the Jonesboro orphans home.

Miss Velda Warlow spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Cecil Sewell at Doaneville.

Misses Louise Bonds and Marie Ward were shopping in Hope Thursday.

Bryan Richie, Mrs. Maggie Richie of Strong, Mrs. Earl Bell and children of Smackover spent the week end with relatives in the Marlbrook Community.

Mrs. T. J. Stewart, Charline and Dwight Stewart were shopping in Hope Wednesday.

Miss Betha Thomas is visiting her brother, Chas. Thomas in Smackover this week.

Mrs. W. E. Austin and Lester Wade were shopping in Hope Monday.

Mr. Stanley, our county agent, met with the Blevins High School last week and organized a 4-H club. Fifty-four boys and girls joined and the following officers were elected: President, Opal Honea; secretary and treasurer, Anna Jean Brown; reporter, Marie Ward. Plans were discussed for the following year and much interest was shown.

Former Hope Boy Henderson Captain

Elwood Meadows Elected Co-Captain of 1934 Reddies

Elwood Meadows and Ed Sherman, tackle and quarterback, respectively, were elected co-captains of the 1934 Henderson State College football team at a banquet held Friday night in North Little Rock. Henderson won the state championship this year.

Meadows and Sherman succeed John Buckley and Raymond Davis.

Meadows is a former Hope High School football player. He played three years at end position on Bobcat teams before entering college. Meadows was a star basketball player, captaining the team here in his senior year. He also took part in track events.

Sherman is the younger brother of Coach ("Bo") Sherman. The stocky Henderson signal caller was named as a halfback on the 1933 All-State eleven. Ed is a former Batesville High School luminary. Next season will be his senior year.

Like Sherman, Meadows has won three letters and the next season will be his final. A giant in stature, towering six feet, four inches and weighing 185 pounds, Elwood is a powerhouse in the line. He was packed on the All-State second mythical team.

Coach Sherman said that Henderson is dicker with the University of Arkansas for a place on the next year schedule of the Razorbacks. Although he will lose eight seniors, Sherman is optimistic over next season's chances. He is counting on several freshmen.

HOLDERS DISTRICT

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hopeful until Friday night that an agreement might be reached and that the legislature could be called to meet Monday so any changes in revenue laws might be made effective by January 1.

Drafting of Bill Halted
A legislative committee named Tuesday to draft a bill based on recommendations of the full committee, which differed in several material respects from the subcommittee's original recommendations, suspended work to await results of Friday's conferences.

It was said that the Drafting Committee probably will not resume its work until there is a definite indication that the differences of conflicting interests will be adjusted and that a special session will be called.

When everybody gets together to manage everybody's business, nobody does much about minding his own business.—Henry Ford.

Strassner Heads Boy Scout Work

Rogers and Rephan Named District Vice-Presidents

Election of officers concluded a district Boy Scout meeting held here this week. The Rev. George F. Strassner of this city was named district chairman, succeeding John P. Cox.

The Rev. Wallace R. Rogers, pastor of First Baptist church, was elected vice-district chairman. Ed I. Rephan also was named vice-district chairman.

Scout executive Powell of the Texarkana council was the principal speaker on the program. He described advancement made in scout work during 1933, and predicted greater activities for 1934.

Scoutmaster and assistant George Ware and Albert Graves of troop 58 were present. Scoutmaster Henry Haynes of troop 68 was present.

It was decided that the Blevins' troop of scouts would receive their charter at a meeting to be held December 29.

793 on CWA Roll in Hempstead Co.

Total for State is 64,000 at "Deadline" Midnight Friday

LITTLE ROCK—Final tabulation of workers assigned to projects under the Civil Works Administration, completed at midnight Friday night, showed that Arkansas had reached her quota of 64,000 set for this state by Harry L. Hopkins, national administrator. The exact number of workers actually assigned at noon Friday was 63,580 and it is believed that additions in several counties will reach, if not exceed, the total allotment, the state administration said.

The recapitulation showed 58,133 men assigned to strictly CWA projects and malaria control and sanitation work. In addition, there were 4,960 workers assigned under federal projects and 1,447 assigned under federal CWA projects such as geological survey and agricultural economics.

The following table shows the number of men at work in southwestern counties.

Hempstead	793
Howard	688
Lafayette	445
Nevada	730

Gary Cooper Weds Society Debutante

Movie Hero, 32, Starts West With His Bride of 20

NEW YORK—(AP)—Gary Cooper, big handsome hero of many a screen romance, was married Friday to Veronica Balfe, slender, gray-eyed New York debutante.

As they boarded a train for the West shortly afterwards, Cooper, who is a bad hombre when he's crossed on the screen but just so much putty in the hands of a pretty heroine, acknowledged he had been "a little nervous" during the ceremony.

His bride, chic in gray corduroy coat and sable fur, said she would give up her film career, which she began "as a lark" last year under the name of Sandra Shaw.

The couple was scheduled to stop off at Phoenix, Ariz., for several days on the way back to Hollywood to see Cooper's parents, Judge Charles H. Cooper and Mrs. Cooper, formerly of Helena, Mont.

They do not plan an extended wedding trip at this time because Cooper is booked to start making a new picture after the holidays. They will live at Gary's ranch house near Hollywood.

Cooper is 32, his bride 20.

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Negro Lynched in Tennessee Town

Exonerated by Grand Jury, He Is Seized by Mob and Hanged

COLUMBUS, Tenn.—(AP)—The body of Cord Cheek, 28-year-old negro, whom the grand jury had refused to indict following his arrest for an attempted attack on an 11-year-old girl, was found hanging from the limb of a cedar tree near here Friday night.

Sherriff Claude Godwin said the lynching was "handed in a very queer manner," and that "no one knew anything about it."

The sheriff said he received an anonymous telephone call that he could find a "dead negro" at the farm of the dead girl's father.

When Sheriff Godwin arrived the negro apparently had been dead only a short time, the officer said, but there was no trace of those responsible for his death.

The alleged attempt attack on the child occurred in the Glendale section about a month ago. Cheek was arrested and taken to Pulaski and then to Nashville for safekeeping. The Maury county grand jury Wednesday refused to return an indictment. Sheriff Godwin said, and orders were sent to Nashville to release Cheek.

The first that officers knew that the negro had returned was when his body was found hanging from the limb by a rope. Sheriff Godwin said he had been unable to trace the telephone call that notified him of the lynching.

Girl at game (watching bundle on the field). "There, they're at it again! I do hope Bill won't repeat that story I told him last night."

"Now, sir," said the counsel to the witness, "Did you, or did you not, on the date in question, or at any time, previously or subsequently say or even intimate to the defendant or anyone else, whether friend or more acquainted, or in fact, a stranger, that the statement imputed to you, whether just or unjust, and denied by the plaintiff, was a matter of no moment or otherwise? Answer—did you or did you not?"

"Did I or did I not what?" asked the witness weakly.

Good Time to Duck
"You didn't seem to be very hot about the efficiency expert," remarked the secretary.

"No," replied the boss, "his explanation of how I could cut the overhead was over my head."—Sam Hill in the Cincinnati Enquirer.

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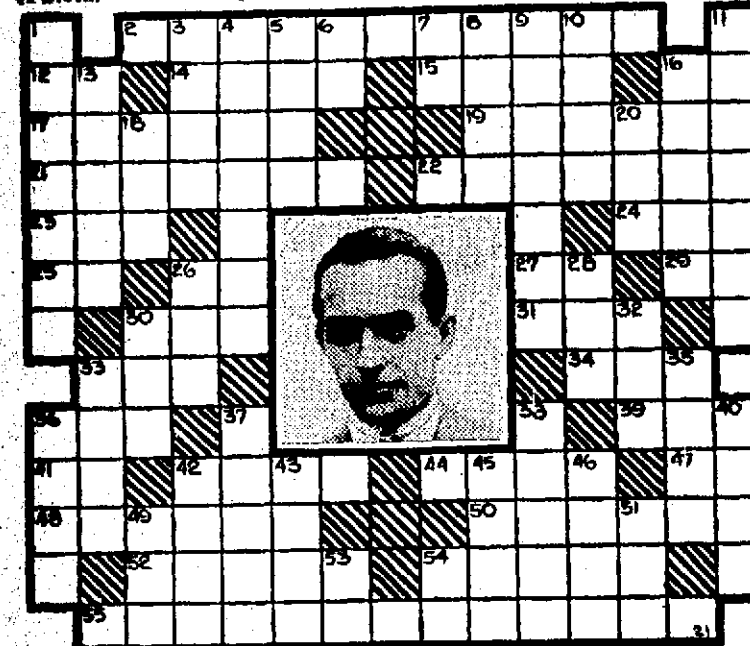
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 1 Who is the man in the picture?
 2 Proposition.
 3 Hidden invasion by police.
 4 Christmas Carol.
 5 To accomplish.
 6 He is a famous player.
 7 Regue.
 8 Flower heads of bonnet.
 9 To deprive.
 10 Some.
 11 Switching.
 12 State.
 13 Variant of "a."
 14 May.
 15 South America.
 16 Large.
 17 Aperture.
 18 Because.
 19 To tear stitches.
 20 To state.
 21 Spigot.
 22 Stoth.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

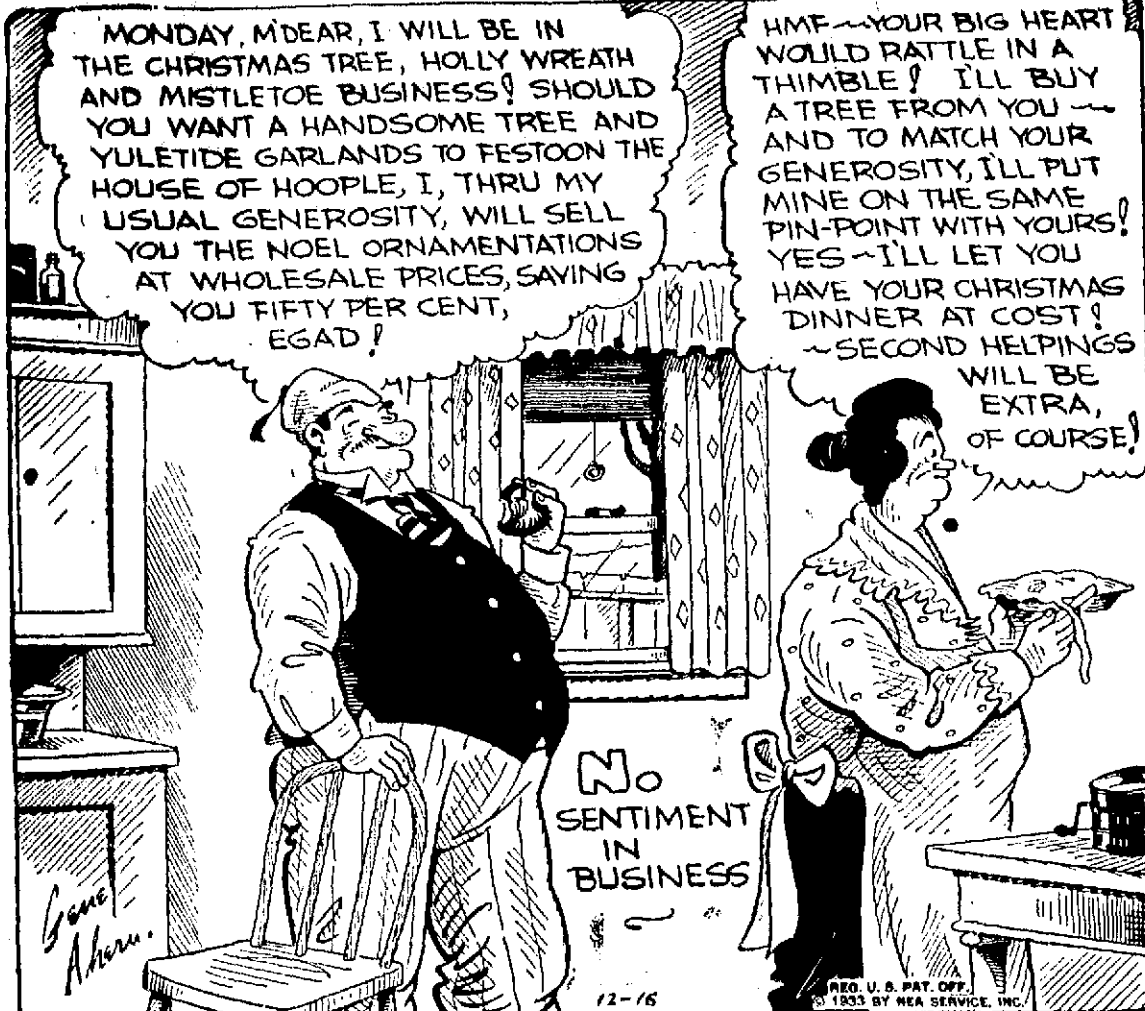
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 16 Sorotia was his partner in the cup play.
 18 No.
 20 Fussy.
 24 Ozone.
 28 Rowing tool.
 30 Lad.
 32 Cavity.
 33 Handsome.
 35 To breathe laboriously.
 36 Steel vault.
 37 Not wide-spread.
 38 Bulb flower.
 40 Nobleman.
 42 Heavy blow.
 43 Plutoclie score.
 45 To hurt.
 46 Half.
 48 Stir.
 51 Aline.
 53 South Carolina.
 54 Father.

VERTICAL
 42 Uncles.
 44 Thump.
 47 Northeast.
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 54 Chief.
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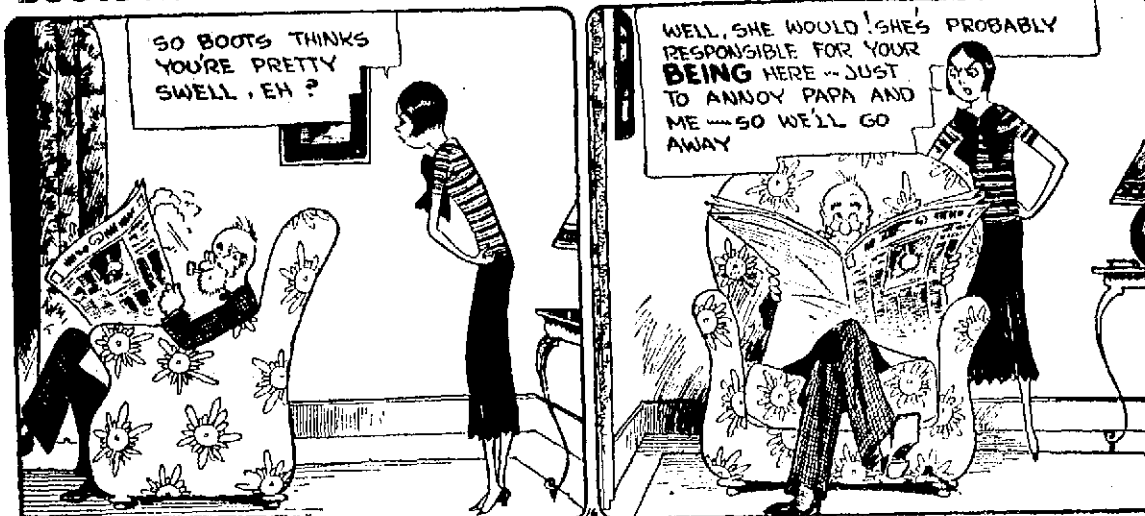
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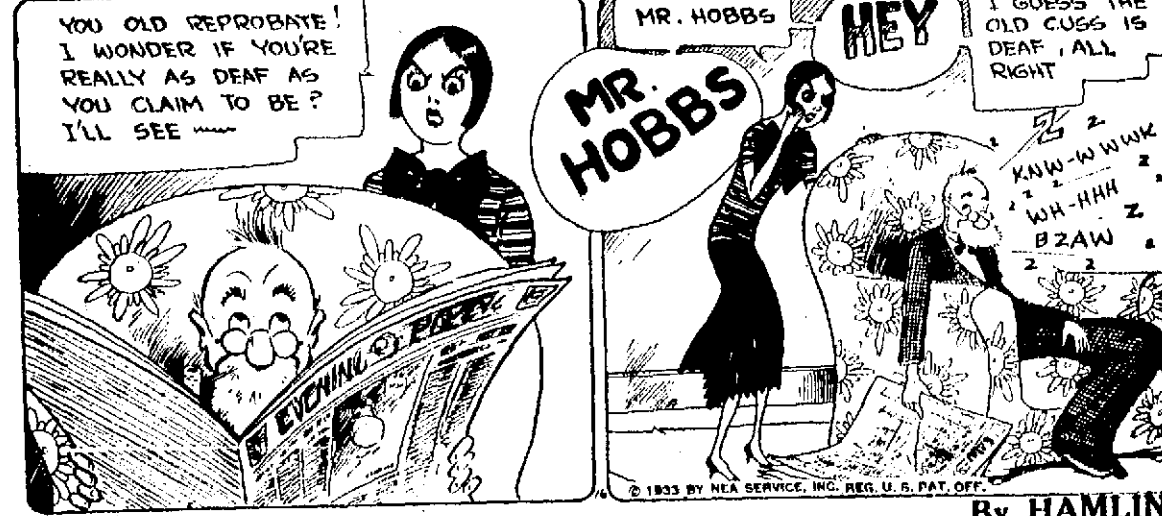
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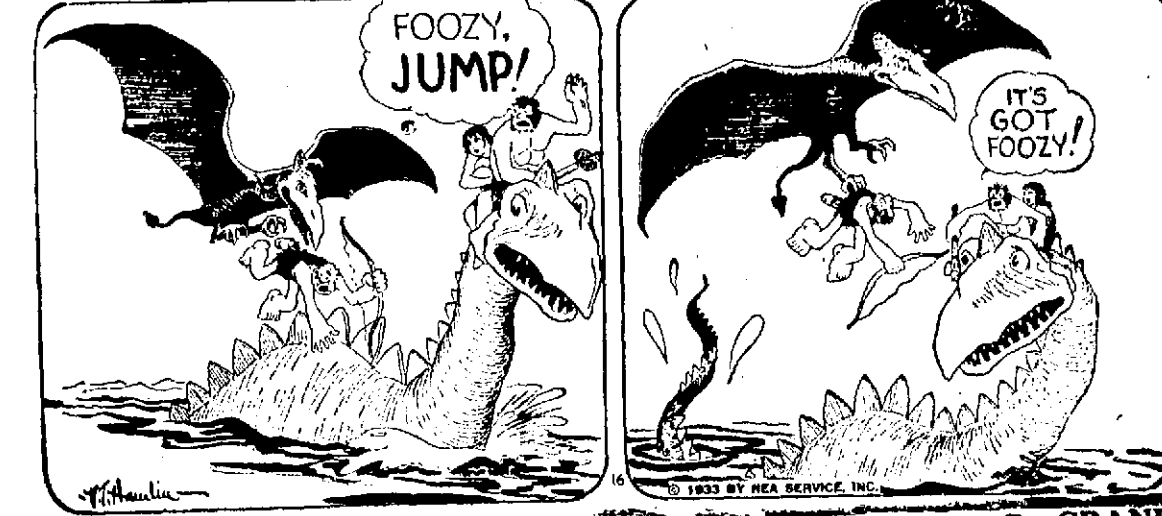
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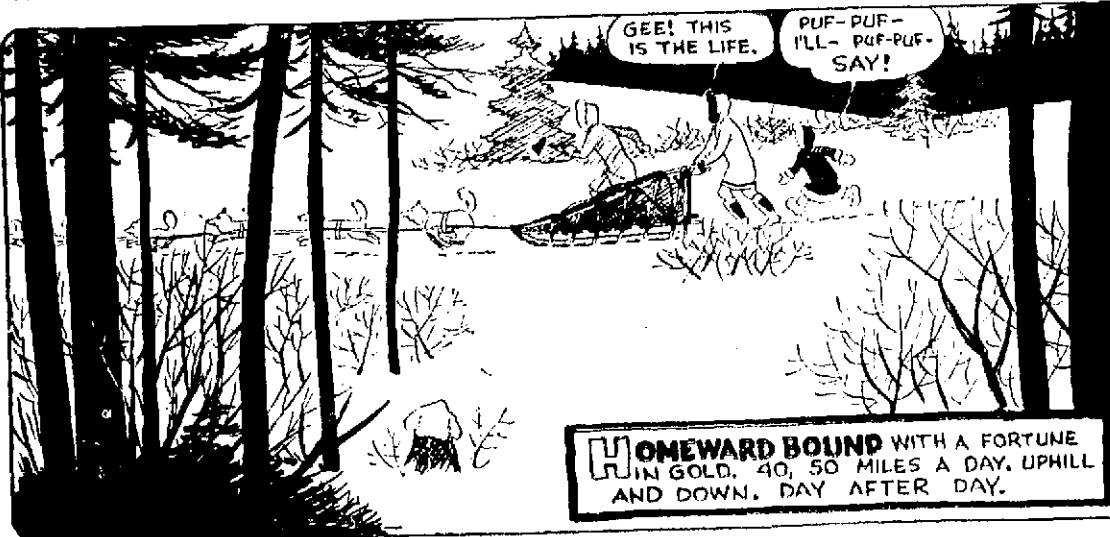
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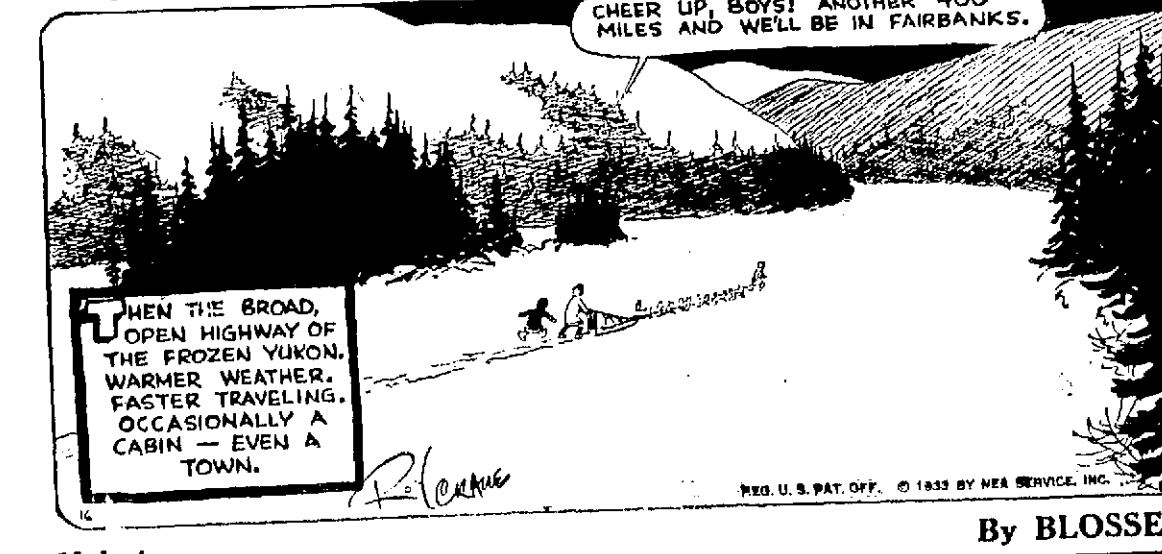
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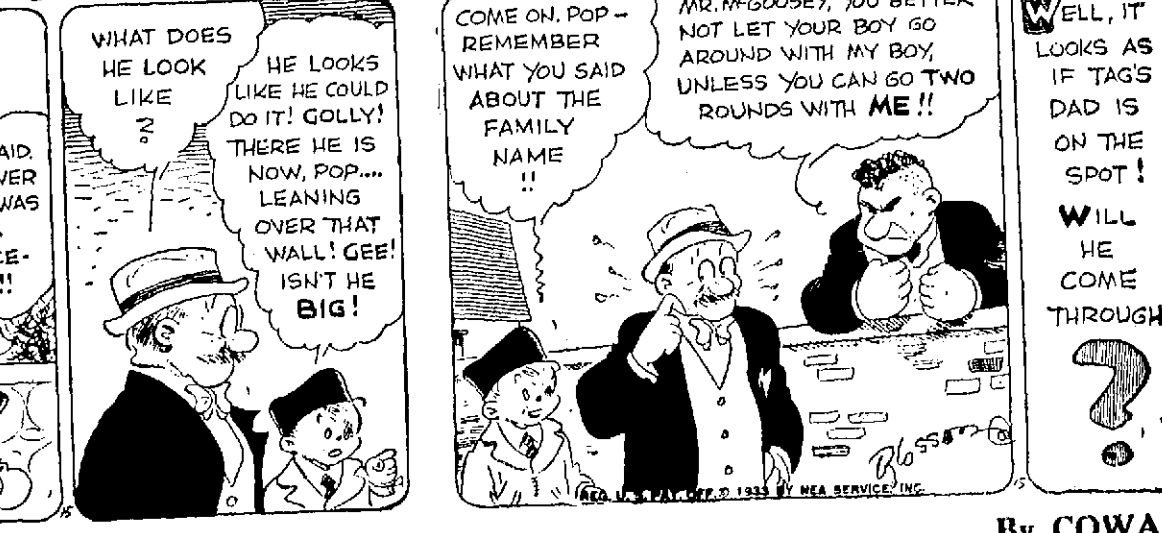
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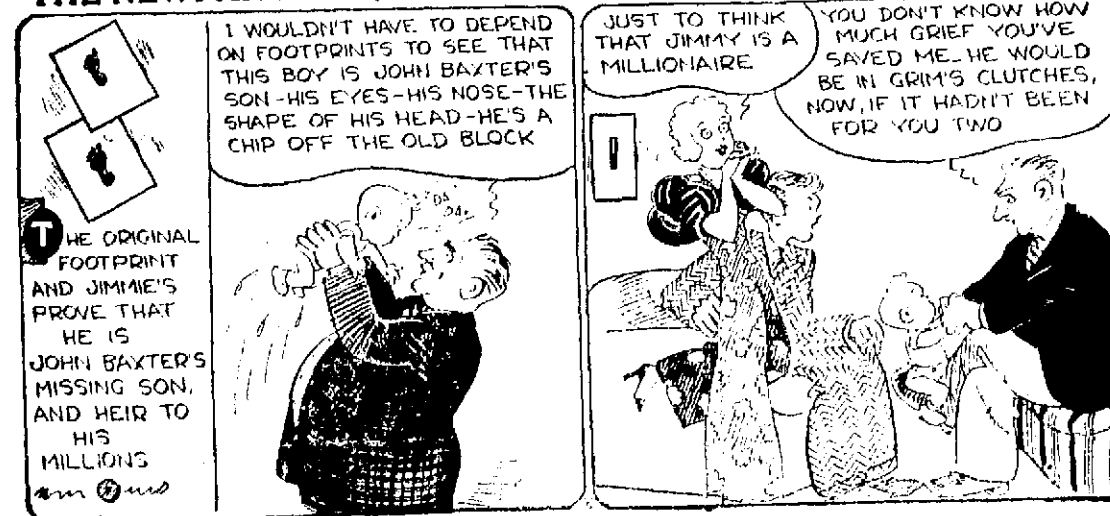
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Rome late in life and a prisoner. Unable to secure justice in Palestine, he had made his appeal to Caesar, and the Roman governor, who apparently was well disposed, but who was dilatory about acting, had been asked by Paul's plea. "You have appealed unto Caesar," he said. "Unto Caesar you shall go."

The journey to Rome was not without peril, for the shipwreck, so graphically described in Chapter 27 of the Acts, had meant the loss of the ship and the bare escape of sailors, soldiers, and passengers with their lives.

The company had been compelled to winter in the island of Melita, and now, in the spring, a ship of Alexandria, which also had wintered at the island, conveyed them safely to Rome. It is an interesting circumstance, considering the harsh and brutal treatment that often is accorded prisoners in modern states, and even here in democratic America, that Paul should have had unusual liberty in Rome while he was awaiting trial.

The process of Roman justice proved to be slow, but Paul was permitted to live in his own house, although there was a soldier guarding him, and two whole years, we are told, he lived thus, receiving all who called upon him.

One can understand the unusual opportunity for preaching the Gospel that was accorded Paul under these circumstances. Instead of this period of enforced settlement being a limited period of his life, it was in some respects the time of his greatest and most significant activities.

It was a time, at least, when the depth of his religious experience and faith found meaning, and in the so-called "Epistles of the Imprisonment," the letters that Paul wrote from Rome to the Philippians, the Ephesians and others, we have the very highest development of Paul's conception of the Gospel of the Church, and of the eternal mission of Christ and his followers in the redemption of the world.

Thus we see how, as Paul himself pointed out, apparent misfortunes, even bonds and imprisonment, may become the means of emphasizing God's grace and work.

Paul In Rome

Text: Acts 28:11-22, 30, 31
 The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for December 17.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D.
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 The ambition to visit Rome had long been present, but never fulfilled, in the mind of the much-traveled Paul. Rome in a sense was the city of his dreams. It was the center of power and imperialism, and though Paul had pledged his life and interest to a higher kingdom and the empire of Christ, nevertheless there was something that challenged his interest and imagination in this city that had brought the whole world beneath its sway.

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